

**Amendments to the Specification**

Please insert the following two paragraphs at page 1, immediately following the title:

This application is a United States national phase entry, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 371, of PCT/US2004/017490, filed June 3, 2004, which claims the benefit of United States patent application serial numbers 60/475,324 (filed June 3, 2003), 10/618,553 (filed July 11, 2003) and 10/823,448 (filed April 13, 2004), each of which is herein incorporated by reference.

Information disclosed and/or claimed in this patent application has been generated pursuant to a joint research agreement among Eli Lilly and Company and Isis Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Please insert the Sequence Listing, which is filed herewith in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821 and is hereby incorporated by reference, after page 102 of the Specification.